



St. Germain Bo-Boen Snowmobile Club

Celebrating 50 years of Snowmobiling!

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Presidents Message — Steve Soltwedel

I drove home last weekend in our first blizzard. If that doesn't get you thinking about snowmobiling, I don't know what will. The fall colors are beautiful and the temperatures are getting close to the freezing mark. Are we ready? Likely not but now we have motivation to get there.

Our groomer barn rebuild is finally complete and equipment is getting moved back into place. Can't send enough thanks to Jim, our contractors and all the volunteers who helped us get to the finish line. We are proud of the results so if you are in the area, stop by and take a look. Now for the catch-up on everything that was delayed during this project. The brushing is being completed and we have begun inspecting trails for downed trees, missing signs etc. We are encouraged by the large response from members who plan to attend the October 19 trail brushing. Many hands make light work.

Our trail maps have been printed for the 2019-2020 season and we thank all of our advertisers for their support which keeps us in a position to maintain our status of having the best trails in the Northwoods. When you pick up your map this year, look over all the map ads and support those establishments that support us. Don't forget to thank them when you stop by their businesses.

We are still looking for more volunteers to be on our new Fund Raising Committee. It is a great way to make an impact on our club's future. If you would like to volunteer to be on this committee, please contact any board member.

Start thinking snow. Hold off on your snow dances until after mid-November so we can get the trails in great shape. And when riding this year remember, RIDE RIGHT, RIDE SAFE. I hope to see all of you at one of our upcoming membership meetings.

Steve

MEMBERSHIP CORNER

Thank you to all that have renewed their membership. Once again, we have a great number of you who were able to donate money over and above your dues; it is greatly appreciated.

Discounted Trail Passes - Members with sleds registered in Wisconsin can get discounted trail passes using the AWSC website:

<https://awsc.org/Trail-Pass-Registration/Order-Passes-Online>

You will need your AWSC number. Drop me a note if you need it. It is also on your AWSC magazine.

Our club's yearly membership period runs from October 1 through September 30. AWSC memberships will now expire June 30 annually.

Ed Siergiej

Membership Chair

info@boboen.com



Kevin & Deb Harvey from Harv's Vacation Rentals represented the St. Germain Chamber recently at the Snowmobile USA Show & Sale, October 18-20, 2019 in Milwaukee.

November Membership Meeting

Tuesday, November 12th

Knocker's Pizza Company Inc.

Cocktails 6:00 pm Dinner 7:00 pm

Menu Selection

Beef Tenderloin in a
Cognac Mushroom Sauce

Chicken Kiev

Honey Mustard Glazed Salmon

All dinners include salad, baked potato, bread, dessert & coffee. All meals are priced at \$23.00 with tax and gratuity included.

Members are responsible for the payment of their reservation whether they attend or not. Please make checks payable to:

Knocker's Pizza Company Inc.

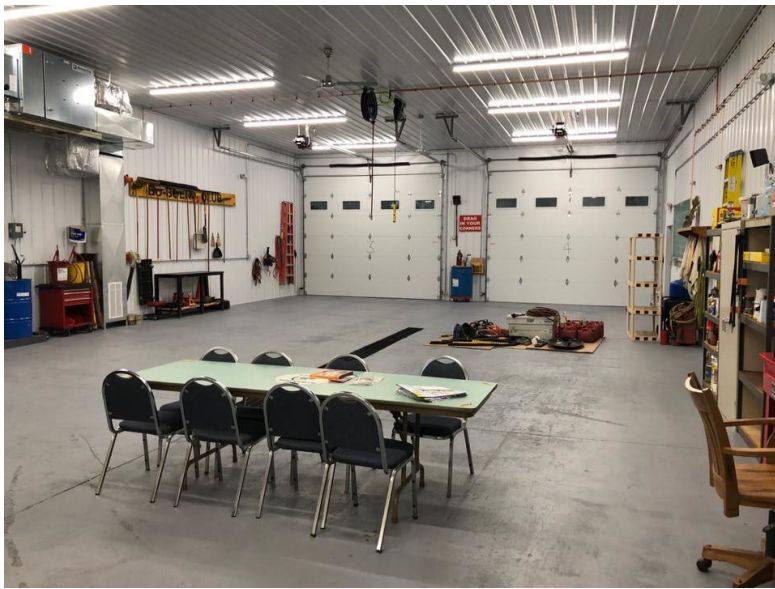
RSVP on or before Monday, November 4th

Call Kay Schultz (715) 542-3912.



Trail Brushing Crew 2019! We had 50 people show up on a gorgeous fall Saturday for our trail brushing on Saturday, October 19th.

Thank you everyone!



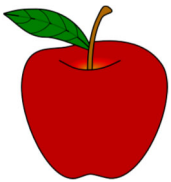
The floors have been painted and we are ready to bring our equipment home! We even put in a powder room for our groomer drivers which our Trail Boss offered to keep clean!

Trail Boss—Jim Wendt

I am soooo pleased to report work on the groomer barn reconstruction has been completed! The contractors work is complete, and we are in the cleaning mode to get ready for club brushing day. I want to show off our facility to those that attend and hope they're impressed with our decision to rebuild. We will be scheduling an open house at the barn mid-November for all to attend. Watch for a club email with details. We will be bringing our equipment back to the barn when weather cooperates. Driver meetings will be coming soon, and the season can begin mid-December if the snow Gods give us the "white gold" we need to work on our fabulous trail system. Our trail system has not had any re-routes as of today. All of our equipment has been prepped and should be ready for another successful season. The light snow we have had this past week sure gave us the spike in winter thoughts. It won't be long now!

Happy Trails,
Jim

Apple Dumpling Kick-off Dinner for the 2019-20 Season



Where: Clearview Supper Club

When: Saturday, November 9, 2019 at 7 PM (cocktails at 6 PM)

Menu Choices: Prime Rib with baked potato, Fried Walleye with baked potato or Chicken Kiev with baked potato

Note: All diners are \$25 per person and include salad, rolls, dinner, dessert and coffee. Taxes and tips are included. If you require a vegetarian option please contact me.

What to do: To reserve your dinner, please call Trenton Keenlance at (920) 279-5948 by Sunday, November 2nd. (Members are responsible for the payment of the reservation whether they attend or not.)

Who are the Apple Dumplings? The Apple Dumpling Gang is a group of good looking men (mostly retired, but a few are still working) who snowmobile together every Wednesday during the season. This is an informal group so there are no dues or duties. On Wednesdays they leave the groomer barn at 9 AM sharp. All you have to do is show up. Socializing is usually available there starting at 8:15 AM. There is a contribution for each ride to cover the cost of the drinks and lunch for that day. The group also has a kick-off dinner in November, a 3-day Overnighter Trip, a Potato Pancake Breakfast in mid-winter, and Brunch to end the season in March. Why not come ride with them?

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19th HoleSaturday, November 9—**Apple Dumpling Gang
Kick-off Dinner**—ClearviewTuesday, November 12—**Membership Meeting**
Knocker's Pizza Company Inc.December 14 & 15—**Snowmobile Safety Education Class**
St. Germain Community CenterJanuary 31 & February 1—**17th Annual Hiller's
Radar Run**—Little St. Germain Lake**SNOWMOBILE SAFETY
EDUCATION CLASS****December 14 & 15, 2019**

The Bo-Boen Snowmobile Club's Snowmobile Safety Education Class will be held on Saturday and Sunday, December 14 & 15, 2019 at the St. Germain Community Center. Anyone 11 years of age or older is eligible to take the class and receive a safety education certificate, however, the certificate does not become valid until the child reaches 12 years of age. Pre-registration is required by calling Peggy Ausloos at (715) 542-3548 or online at gowild.wi.gov.


Beginning January 1, 2001, any person born on or after January 1, 1985 and who has reached the age of 12, must have completed and received a snowmobile safety certificate in order to operate a snowmobile in Wisconsin. The certificate must be carried while operating the snowmobile, and displayed to a law enforcement officer upon demand.

All students are required to obtain a Wisconsin DNR Customer ID# as part of the criteria to graduate from any Recreational Safety Class and provide that number to their instructor. Students can obtain a DNR Customer ID# from St. Germain Sport Marine during business hours or by calling 1-888-936-7463 between 7 AM and 10 PM. You can also visit a Wisconsin DNR Service Center during their regular scheduled hours. You will need to provide your social security number. For additional DNR Service Center hours and locations go to www.gowild.wi.gov and click on the "Get Started" tab.

Lighting Up St. Germain Holiday Parade & Visit with Santa

Saturday, November 30, 2019

5:00—7:00 pm


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Won't you Join the Boo-BBB's for Lunch?

Please join the Boo-BBB's for our opening luncheon on Thursday, November 7th at noon at the 19th Hole. All ladies are welcome, riders and non-riders. Enjoy some lively discussion, delicious food and a look at our season to come. Bring your calendars as we will have information about our February overnight. We look forward to seeing everyone.
Penny McCormick
715-542-2537

Secretary's Report—Kay Schultz

Breaking news from St. Germain. With the start of the snowmobiling season about two months away, why am I watching it snow today. Can you believe it? When we woke up this morning the pine trees had snow on their branches and the shed roof and the boat cover were white. Guess the Farmer's Almanac is right - it's going to be along hard winter in the upper Midwest.

On Tuesday, October 8th we had another great membership dinner at Spang's. Thanks to Joe & Debbie for the great food and fun evening. Not much else going on right now. Just a reminder to renew your membership and get your trail passes. After all, once the trails open you want to be ready to ride.

Kay Schultz



Sunshine Report

Condolences were sent to Gary Groff who's mother passed away and to the family of Mark Hiller.



Please call Judy Schell at (715) 542-2321 or judith-schell@hotmail.com when you have information on births, of members who are ill or hospitalized and need a bit of cheer, sympathy or encouragement.

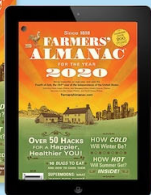
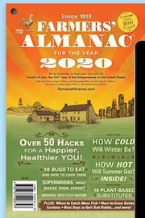
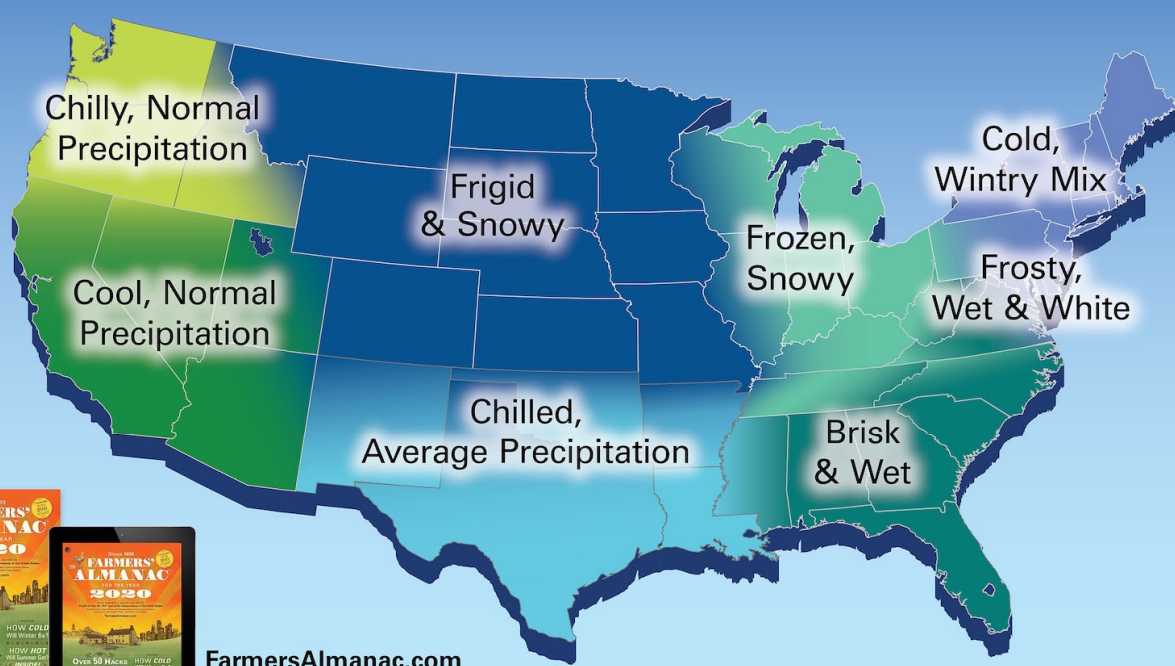


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